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REMARKS

This application was submitted with an inventor correction which was initialed and dated by the inventor to replace a word on page 5 line 8. Accordingly, the correction has been made as noted above in the replacement paragraph and below in the Version with Markings to Show Changes Made. Hence, after the Examiner completes a thorough examination and finds the claims patentable, a Notice of Allowance is respectfully requested in due course. Should the Examiner determine any minor informalities that need to be addressed, he is encouraged to contact the undersigned attorney at 407-841-2343.

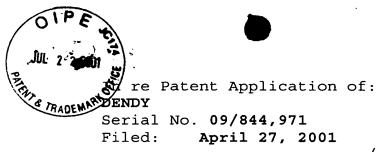
Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the specification and claims by the current amendment. The attached page is captioned "Version With Markings to Show Changes Made."

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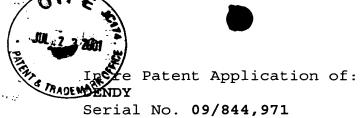


VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE

In the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 5, line 6, with the following rewritten paragraph:

The DOO mechanism of the invention also has application to generic channel banks employing private line automatic [ring driven]ring-down (PLAR) mode, that allows two phones to be connected, with one phone ringing when the other goes off hook. This requires two channel banks connected by a T1 link. With the DOO mechanism of the invention, the call can be switched within the IAD, without the need for number dialing by the user, and another phone ring connected to the same IAD.



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